

Form 2

Society Act

Constitution

Article 1

The name of the society is, Karst Specialist Association of BC

Article 2

The purpose of the society is:

- a) To assist Karst Specialists in training.
- b) To assist Karst Specialists in collaboration.
- c) To manage karst related data spatially.
- d) Maintain an association member listing of qualified karst Specialists, this listing would be available for public viewing.

Definition of a karst specialist:

Karst Specialist: Is a person who completes karst terrain (limestone) assessments or karst feature management reports. These assessments and reports contain a description of surface and or subsurface features such as but not limited to caves and sinkholes within a given karst terrain, including recommendations for management of such features.

BYLAWS

The bylaws of the society are those set out in Schedule B in the Society Act, with the following additions:

Bylaw 3 of part 2 - Membership - be revised to:

To balance the society's directors, the selection of directors must include:

1. Two persons each of whom completes karst assessments on a minimum of 20 hectares of limestone per year, with a minimum sum total of 200 hectares assessed.
2. Two persons who represent a provincially recognized caving or speleological organization.
3. Two persons who are in good standing with one of the following professional associations: Association of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists of BC, Association of BC Forest Professionals, British Columbia Association of Professional Archaeologists, The Association of Professional Biology and the like from other provincial jurisdictions. These persons may include the persons described in (1).